



Be A **Leader**

Leaders are distinguished by their engagement in advocacy. Your participation in MHA's Political Action Committee supports elected officials who care about our priorities and gives hospital leaders the opportunity to share their knowledge of these complex issues.

When hospital leaders step forward and voice their perspectives, we create a stronger foundation for all the hospitals in the state.

Whether you're a hospital executive, a practitioner or a trustee, make sure your voice is heard in Washington and Annapolis.



Be Innovative

The Maryland Hospital Association and the American Hospital Association are leading advocacy efforts that support our hospitals and allied professionals by addressing complex issues and policies with innovative and effective responses.

Your contributions to the PAC support advocacy programs that:

- Maintain hospital financial stability and health
- Invest in Maryland's health care workforce
- Support Medical liability reform
- Enhance access to behavioral health services
- Advance hospital priorities
- Ensure the success of the Maryland Model/ AHEAD
- Expand availability of telehealth services

Be Vocal

Hospital leaders and health care professionals—your voice matters!

Give Today!



**Make your voice heard.
Launch a campaign to solicit PAC
contributions. Visit www.pacmha.org
for tools and rules to support
your efforts.**

Be Involved

HOW TO GET STARTED

1. CONTRIBUTION GUIDELINES

Nonprofit corporations with an IRS 501(c)3 tax exempt status cannot make political contributions. MHA's PAC can accept personal and business contributions. Contributions are then split with the American Hospital Association's PAC to support state as well as federal candidates. Contributions from taxable corporations, partnerships, and limited liability companies are acceptable but will only be used by the MHAPAC to support state candidates.

2. SUGGESTED CONTRIBUTIONS

Hospital and health care leaders are encouraged to give contributions up to a maximum of \$6,000 per year per Federal Election Commission guidelines.

MHAPAC Platinum Club \$1,500

MHAPAC Gold Club & AHA Ben Franklin Club \$1,000

MHAPAC Silver Club & AHA Chairman's Circle \$500

MHAPAC Bronze Club & AHA Capitol Club \$350

Friend of MHAPAC \$250

Other \$ _____

3. CONTRIBUTING

There are two ways to donate to MHAPAC.

OPTION 1 Return the donor card and check to MHAPAC via the self-addressed envelope or to MHAPAC at 6820 Deerpath Road, Elkridge MD 21075.

OPTION 2 Make your donation via PayPal or credit card online at www.pacmha.org

4. OTHER INFORMATION

Contributions to MHAPAC are not tax deductible; only U.S. citizens and people with valid green cards can contribute; contributions to MHAPAC do not count against individual state or federal candidate committee contribution limits; federal law requires the PAC to use best efforts to obtain the occupation and employer of each contributor.

5. QUESTIONS

For questions, please contact 410-379-6200 or pacmha@pacmha.org.

Contributions to the MHA and AHA PACs support state and federal candidates who support the hospital industry and its allied medical professionals. By authority of MHAPAC, Kristy Daphnis, Treasurer

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